BRYAN'S CALL TO KY. DEMOCRATS

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UPHOLD THE PRESIDENT BY ELECTING BECKHAM

Bryan Advises To Sustain President Wilson by Electing Democratic State Ticket-President Must Have Support of House and Senate in Great Work He is Doing.

Louisville, Ky .- (Special.) -Achievements of the Democratic party since its succession in power, in fulfillment of pledges made prior to 1912, were described by William Jennings Bryan, Secretary of State, following a oneday tour of the state, at a meeting held here Thursday night. He reviewed the work of President Wilson and made an earnest plea for the election in November of Mr. Beckham and Mr. Camden and the Democratic nominees for the House.

Mr. Bryan said in part: Ladies and Gentlemen-It is very pleasant to return to your great city under circumstances so favorable. The only embarrassment that I find in coming is a natural embarrassment, because we aré prone, in civil life as well as in military life, to overestimate the part of those who lead and underwould be powerless. I have been trying for eighteen years to unload a large part of the credit that generous friends have been willing to bestow upon me. Because in three campaigns I occupied a position of leadership and carried the standard of the party, these friends, learning to know my name and not knowing the names of

glory that belongs to all.

so small there and the sky so clear the most sanguine of us. that Harvard University has estabwhen they examined the plate they when they examined the heavens the dent march through? what we are prone to do in politics, and a Democratic House. and it fitted my case exactly, and I have been glad to tell these enthuas Bryanism, was not anything for which I was especially responsible, but Democrats, of whom I was only one.

Kentucky's Stars.

And many of the stars that have helped to make up the light have been convention of 1896, in which this great reform began, or, rather, not in which it began, for that convention itself was back to that convention, as I see myself again standing before that mag-

there in that convention, and when the President kept the hopper full. that convention rose to applaud, these faces seemed to stand out more proposition ready to be considered; strongly than the rest. The man over and working together, they have given here was Gov. Hogg, of Texas, one of us a record without parallel in the hisproduced. And the man over here was as has Mr. Wilson. Ollie James, of Kentucky. That was his entrance into politics, and he has

"UPHOLD PRESIDENT," HIS KEYNOTE



From his latest photograph .- Copyright by Clinedinst, Washington. SECRETARY BRYAN.

Heretofore I have fed you on hopes; of this great conflict. now I will stuff you with realization. Heretofore I have told you what we those for whom I stood, gave me the would do if you would just give us a chance; and now I have come to tell the Senate and House, has produced Two years ago I visited South Amer- you that the half had not been told, the best tariff law the country has had ica, and climbing up the Andes stopped ed has exceeded the promises of the ly, for I was on the committee that prefor a day at Iraquipa. The rainfall is party, and even the expectations of pared the only other tariff reduction

lished an observatory from which to back into history to find anything like the best law that we could get under photograph the stars. And they tell it, back thousands of years, and the those conditions, but we have better me that one night they turned their nearest parallel I have found is in conditions now and we have a better great telescope on a distant star, and Holy Writ. It is where the Red Sea law. This law gives us lower tariff opened and allowed the children of rates than I thought it was possible to of Israel to pass through. For did not get, and it not only gave the people found not one star, as they had the Republican party divide in the cen- relief-the consumers of the country thought, but more than 4,000 stars, and ter, and did not the Democratic Presi -- relief from the high tariff of the for-

And what a record he has made. stars appeared as one. And when I hear Wonderful! And he could not have which I have participated I do not reof that, I thought that it described just made it without a Democratic Senate call another campaign until this one

The President's Labors.

This is not a one-man government. slastic friends that that, which for One man in the White House can do many years they have been describing great things, and yet from the beginning to the end our constitution bears the impress of the idea of co-operation. The President can recommend. was the sentiment, the heartfelt sen- That is the beginning, And he can sign timent of six and a half million of the bill. That is the end. The Presiin the Senate and the House. Unless the President has the Senate and the House in sympathy with him, him recommendations are in vain. Unless December to rest and look around. They were the faces of two stalwart session so long, and no Congress has well-minded persons, and I suppose tion was ground out he had another tory of our nation, for no other Presi dent has ever accomplished so much

Elect Beckham and Camden.

I desire first to emphasize the fact,

been here I think three times when I have myself been the candidate, and I have been here at other times when I came to appeal for other candidates, but during all these years I have made a different speech from that which you will hear to-night.

Hopes Then; Realization Now.

They say we in politics say the estimate the work of the nameless I came to appeal for other candidates, this fight began. I began making multitude without whom a leader but during all these years I have made stump speeches when I was twenty They say we in politics say the duction of the tariff thirty-four years same things over and over. That is ago, and Kentucky began long before partially true, but I have a new I began. You have been a pioneer in speech for you. I have never had a the war of tariff reform, and your chance to deliver this speech for you. great men have stood in the forefront

The President, by co-operation with Why, that which has been accomplish since the Civil War. I speak advisedlaw that we have ever had in fifty It is hard to describe what happen- years, the law of 1894. And this law mer laws, but it set a nation free. As I look back over the campaigns in when they did not bring out the threat of panic to terrorize the nation. The beneficiaries of protection who had their hands in the pockets of the nation, who had been making the laws that determined the amount that they should collect from the people-these people had at every campaign used a part of the money they had collected by unjust laws to deceive those who could be deceived, to purchase those dent's actions are the Alpha and that could be purchased, and to intim-Omega, but the rest of the alphabet is idate those who could be intimidated.

Calamity Threats Failed.

They had told the farmer that he would lose his home markets if he re Kentucky stars. As I look back to the he has the Senate and the House to duced the tariff. They had told the send him bills to sign, he waits pen laboring men if they dared to vote for in hand in vain. But, fortunately, the tariff reduction their bread and butsame tidal wave that carried our party ter would be taken from them, and to the White House gave us a substant they had warned business men that the result of a struggle that lasted for tial majority in both the Senate and the wheels of industry and of comsomething like a year-but as I look the House, and this President of ours merce would stop if they dared to lay began work at once. According to the a hostile hand on these sacred tariff constitution he had from March to schedules, and in some of the campaigns they had posted up notices in nificent audience, I recall two faces But he did not need rest, and he did the shops that the laborers need not that I shall not forget, for they seem not care to look around. And so he come back on Wednesday unless the to represent the enthusiasm of that just called Congress together and kept Republican party was successful. This Congress together. In all the nation's is what they have done, and they had history no Congress has even been in deceived and misled many honest men. One sat over here and one over been more busy while in session, for some of the more timid ones were almost afraid to wake up the morning Just as soon as one piece of legisla- after that law went into effect, for fear darkness would cover the land. But when they awoke they found the sun rose as usual, they found the soil had lost none of its fertility, they found that the energies of the nation had not been impaired, and then they saw that they had been fooled, and then the pretended partnership between the Almighty and the Republican party was

members.

Why would not the Republican party give us an income tax? I remember when we secured the passage of the income tax law twenty years ago, we had the opposition of all the Republican party and a big part of the Democratic party. Why didn't they give you an income tax? Because the men who control the Republican party were the men with large incomes, and they preferred to put the burden of government upon the poorer members of the Republican party that they might enjoy the privileges and favors without bearing their share of the expenses of government.

Currency Reform.

McAdoo and the Banks.

And then a few days ago Secretary Mc-Adoo learned that some of the banks were not using the money that they had borrowed from the government. He learned that some of them, instead of lending it out as banks should to meet the needs of their communities, were piling up reserves unnecessarily high, and it was causing trouble, and he looked around to see what he could do. Now I have not had a chance yet to ask him how he found out this remedy, but I can guess. I guess he went to the Bible. That is one advantage the Democrats have over the Republicans. He went to the Bible and he found a case that just fitted this one. He found that one of the men who had received one talent, instead of using it, wrapped it in a napkin and hid it in the earth, and he found that, according to the Bible, when the master of the house came he called up this man who had refused to use his talent and he took it from him and gave it to those who would use it.

chance. Why currency reform but they didn't dare to present the only kind of reform that they proposed.

When Wall Street Ruled.

What a difference between the two systems—the old and the new. We had the rold system in 1907 and under the old system if a bank out West or in the South needed money it had to go down to Wall street to get it and in order to get it it had to go down on its knees and beg for it and if it got it it got it on the terms that Wall street fixed and the man who got it had indelibly impressed on his memory that it was a special favor that must be naid back on demand and the man who is memory that it was a special favor that must be naid back on demand and the man who is must be naid back on demand and the min and gave it to those who would use it.

I guess that McAdoo said that is the thing to do: and he just issued a notice that if any bank got money from the government and, instead of using it to help the business of the community, wrapped it up in a napkin and hid it in the vault, it must give it back, that it might be given to some banks that would use it.

That is what comes of having a President on the side of the people.

Now, my friends, I believe that the sentiment of this country is overwhelmingly back of this law and I am going to put my judgment to the test. I do not know just what kind of an audience we have a literal country is overwhelmingly back of this law and I am going to put my judgment to the test. I do not know just what kind of an audience we have it looks good to me Rut I can-

THE STANDARD BEARER IN THE STATE



J. C. W. BECKHAM, Democratic Nominee for United States Senator.

they attached a string to it so that they could draw it back when they wanted it without regard to the welfare of the community. That was the old plan.

You had not only to go to New York if you wanted to borrow your money, but if you wanted to get your own money sometimes they couldn't spare it. In 1907 they had money from the South which they had invested in their watered stock; when the water was squeezed out they couldn't

It is so hard newadays, when the Republicans are finding out the error of their ways, to tell Republicans and Democrats apart. They even try to laugh like Democrats, so I don't know what kind of an adience this is.

Merchant Marine

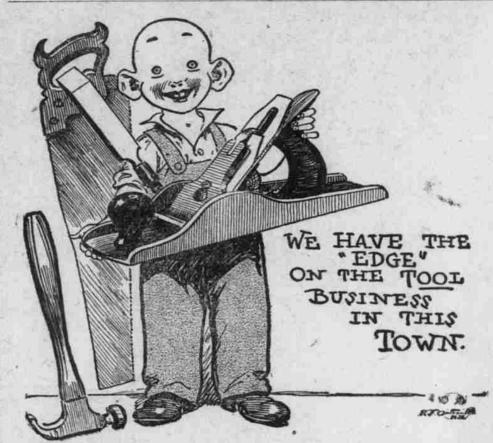
Merchant Marine.

I have now given you a few of the larger things. I might call your attention to the fact that the Republican party for a generation has been talking of a merchant marine, but the Democratic party started a merchant marine without talking about it. And I may remind you that the Republican leaders who have spent a generation trying to belittle the patriotism and intelligence of the Democratic party, that the Republican leaders who have been telling the nation that the Democratic party did not have intelligence enough to conduct this government, find that after the Democratic party has proceeded to do the things that the Republican party ought to have done and undo many of the things that the Republican party has done—that those leaders dare not challenge the nation's judgment on one single measure of the Democratic party and now in this campaign are trying to dodge the Issue and instead of talking about permanent things that have been accomplished try to befog you with the details of the temporary measure called the war tax that is not yet formed. That is the situation. They are not ready to meet the issue on these things that the Democratic party has done, but they try to take advantage of the war that try to take advantage of the war that has come, come without any fault on the part of the Democratic party or of the nation, and while the President is trying to protect the business interests of this country, and instead of withdrawing the money from the banks and thus compelling the banks to withdraw money from business and cripple business, he has the courage to ask the American people to take this burden upon themselves for the protection of the country.

And while he has been solving the problems.

And while he has been solving the problems at home, he has had to bear a load in the nature of international problems have found at him, but I have been fooled so often that I have not the confidence in myself that I used to have. Several times I have found a man with a good, honest face, and I have said, there is a Democrat, and on inquiry I found that he was a Republican. But that his mother was a Democrat. So I do not know what kind of an audience this is, but I am going to venture the assertion that nine out of ten of this audience, Democrats, Republicans, Progressives or whatnots, will, when I take a vote, vote in favor of the new system rather than of the old one. I am going to ask you to

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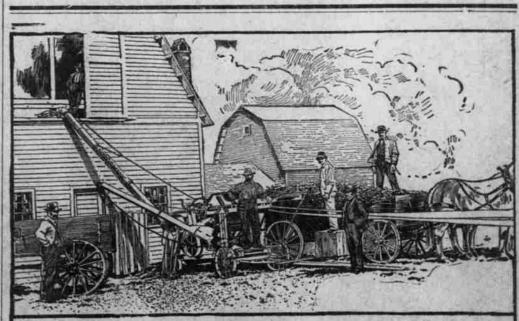
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